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CONGER'S ADVICES

American Minister Has Been Informed of Current Diplomatic Action.

THE BAD PRINCE TUAN

Elevation of This Instigator of Rebellion a Stumbling Block in the Way of Negotiations.

Government Waiting For Information Regarding the Extent of Tuan's Powers.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 28.—The Russian naval staff announces that it is proposed to blockade all Chinese naval ports in consequence of the hostile attitude of the Chinese fleet at Shanghai, and to send fast cruisers from the allied squadrons to protect their transports.

Peking, Sept. 22, via Taku, Sept. 28.—The American legation has in its possession a subscription list of the Boxers which shows the name of Prince Ching as having made three subscriptions. The list was discovered by Missionary Wherry. Friends of Prince Ching declare that he was coerced into giving.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Minister Conger has been advised by the state department of the substance of the replies made by this government last Friday to the governments of Germany, Russia and China respecting China, which clearly indicated to him the general nature of the instructions he is to receive. Moreover by this time he is informed of the orders issued to Gen. Chaffee to reduce his force to a legion guard. The note to China specifically pointed out the lines on which this government will issue its instructions to its minister. The document itself is in confide of final approval. Acting Secretary Hill having completed the draft some days ago and forwarded it to the president. It is the belief of the state department that the actual transmission of the instructions will be carried out very soon. It is said that the text of the instructions will not be given publicly at present for diplomatic reasons but there is no concealment of the general scope of the document which is on the lines laid down in the three notes. In this connection it is said that Mr. Conger will put the negotiations in motion without any purpose of acting for any government other than the United States, although the government steadily keeps in mind that the United States is but one of several nations mutually interested in obtaining a common end and it is hoped that the effect of Mr. Conger's making a beginning toward negotiations may be to induce other powers to follow. At the same time the government has never assumed to lay down any mandate as to the course to be followed by all or any of the other powers.

It is believed that the state department already has taken steps through Minister Wu to impress upon the Chinese government the undesirability of the appointment of Prince Tuan as grand secretary and the painful impression this appointment has created throughout this country. The effect of his appointment if persisted in, it is said, might be to retard seriously the final negotiations or, in fact, any negotiations at all.

The government feels that it is much reinforced in its present position by a note from Li Hung Chang in which he gives positive assurance to the United States that he has abundant authority to protect all American interests and will see that his authority is exercised. The government now looks upon this assurance as a guarantee which must be faithfully performed as a condition precedent to even the establishment of relations with Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching. If the appointment of Tuan promises in any manner to obstruct the performance of this pledge then it would be clearly violative of the guarantee laid down and warrant the immediate withdrawal of Mr. Conger from further relations with the Chinese envoys. So it appears that more depends upon what Tuan does than what he has done.

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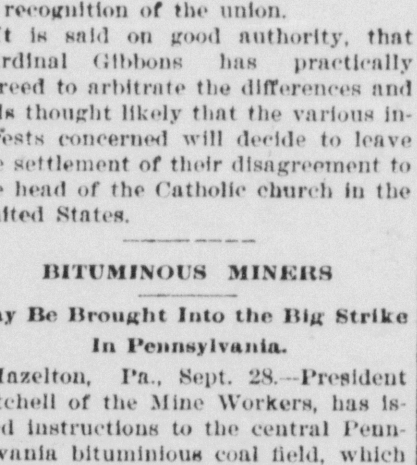
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Gains For Strikers. Shenandoah, Pa., Sept. 28.—Present developments in the strike situation in this region show important gains on the part of the mine workers. Two big collieries in the Ashland district controlled by the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company, have been compelled to close and a third is working with a crippled force. It is estimated that 1,500 men are employed at these two mines.

GETTING ON ITS FEET

Galveston Rapidly Recovering From Its Undone Condition.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 28.—Returning from Galveston, Gov. Sayers reports conditions in that city as greatly improved. The relief committee is doing excellent work and the people generally talk hopefully. There are about 2,600 men at work clearing away the debris. It is his opinion that it will require 4,000 men to remove all the debris within the next 30 days. This, however, is but an estimate and it may require longer time. The supplies are being systematically distributed only to those who have suffered from the storm and are helpless, the policy being to pay those who are strong and willing to work and to help only those who are infirm and needy and cannot provide for themselves.

Commerce is being resumed and several large ships have been loaded with grain and cotton. The governor adds that it is impossible for him to commend the people of Galveston too highly for their fortitude, self-reliance, energy and devotion to the public welfare under such trying circumstances. The governor remained at Houston several hours and found that the work of the relief committee was being admirably done and that the ladies' relief committee had performed its duties so as to justify entitle them to the very highest praise.

A Sequel at Victor.

Victor, Cal., Sept. 28.—As a sequel to the disorderly proceedings at the Roosevelt meeting in this city Wednesday evening, F. N. Briggs, editor of the Victor Daily Record, was assaulted yesterday in his office. In an editorial denouncing the participants in the riot, The Record stated that "a few dissolute women waved rags in the very faces of the distinguished guests." E. E. Carr, a miner, who claims that this statement is a reflection upon his wife's character, entered the Record office and struck Editor Briggs on the head as he sat at the desk. Briggs jumped up and struck Carr in the face. Rev. Father Downey interfered and stopped the fight.

The Slaughter Begins

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Lawrence Piereson of Lexington, Mo., Lake Forest University's crack half-back, was probably fatally hurt in a game with the South Division High School. Paralyzed, half conscious, he lies at the Presbyterian hospital near the North Shore college.

The Theft Was Blocked.

Paris, Sept. 28.—An American lady, Miss Addie Selves, was robbed of a handbag containing jewels and a letter of credit for \$5,000 while in a hotel on the Rue de Passy. The thief returned the letter of credit through the postoffice explaining that he was unable to use it.

Fatal Cutting Affray.

Rushville, Ind., Sept. 28.—Edward Hughes, colored, 30 years old, last night cut the throat of Lewis Lafare, white, 50 years old. Lafare is still alive, but his injuries are considered to be fatal. The trouble was the culmination of a discussion between Lafare and another negro. Hughes took part in the affair with the above deadly effect. He is under arrest and the feeling against him here is intense.

A Busy Stranger.

South Bend, Ind., Sept. 28.—A fairly well-dressed stranger was busy here for a few days, passing \$5 and \$10 counterfeit gold pieces on business houses, where he made small purchases. The counterfeit is a good one save that the colors are light, and for that reason should be easily detected.

Law Not Popular.

Charleston, S. C., Sept. 28.—The antilynching law of this state making the county responsible for damages to the family of the victim has been again tested here. In 1897 Isaac Brown, a negro, was found hanging to the railroad crossing at Stillton, Orangeburg county, his neck broken and his body riddled with bullets. Brown's father brought suit against the county for damages last year. The jury which heard the case brought in a verdict for the county. Another trial of the same case has just ended and another verdict rendered for the county.

An Unmeasured Dose.

Kansas City, Sept. 28.—Capt. Frederick Dent Sharp, U. S. A., retired, cousin of Gen. Ulysses S. Grant, is dead in this city, from an overdose of bromide, taken for the purpose of relieving nervousness and pain. Capt. Sharp was totally blind and it is supposed that he had been unable to properly gauge the quantity of drug.

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Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

BRIBERY CHARGED

Charles S. Knight Under Indictment on Complaint of a Councilman.

ACTION OF GRAND JURY

Councilman Heuser of Jeffersonville Alleges That Knight Offered Him Money For Influence.

Proposition For the Sale of Light

and Water Company's Plant at the Bottom.

Jeffersonville, Ind., Sept. 28.—Charles S. Knight, president of the Wayne Construction company of Fort Wayne, Ind., was arrested on a Pennsylvania passenger train in this city yesterday, while enroute to Indianapolis, on an indictment returned against him by the grand jury of Clark county. The indictment charges that Knight offered \$1,000 to Councilman George J. Heuser of this city, to influence Heuser to not oppose a proposition for the sale to the city of Jeffersonville of the Jeffersonville Light and Water company, in which Knight is interested, and to resign his office as councilman. Mr. Knight, who is well known in his line of business, was released on bond. He said he could not imagine what his arrest meant.

DETECTIVES RUN OUT

Anti-Saloon Movement at Plainville Resisted With Force.

Plainville, Ind., Sept. 28.—Two representatives of the Anti-Saloon league filed 25 affidavits against druggists at this place, charging them with selling intoxicants contrary to law. The office of "Squire" McFadden was surreptitiously entered and the affidavits were abstracted. About the same time a crowd of men and boys became so demonstrative that the anti-saloon detectives took refuge in the McFadden hotel, and afterward slipped quickly away by the first train.

Will Meet at Brazil.

Logansport, Ind., Sept. 28.—The Federation of Labor adjourned yesterday afternoon. Brazil was selected as the next place of meeting. A resolution was adopted that workmen learning trades in penal institutions shall be taught all branches of the trade. The Federation will seek to have the factory inspection force increased to six men. It endorsed the boiler inspection law. It declared for free school books and demanded that the union label shall be put on all books. It voted against compulsory arbitration.

Disappointed In Love.

Indianapolis, Sept. 28.—George Willis, a United States Express Company messenger, 63 years old, attempted to kill himself in the basement of the company's office by shooting himself in the head. The bullet entered the left eye, and lodged in the brain. He died this morning. A letter expressing disappointment in a love affair was found giving cause for the aged messenger's desperate act.

A Brakeman's Foolish Act.

Logansport, Ind., Sept. 28.—David Tucker, 22 years old, a Wabash brakeman, committed suicide by taking five grains of morphine. He was in love with his cousin and the girl did not reciprocate his attachment. It is said that he showed her the morphine and declared that he would take it, and the girl, thinking he was joking, laughingly offered to swallow it herself.

Surprised His Friends.

Terre Haute, Ind., Sept. 28.—Albert Gilmore, an employee of the car works, formerly a school teacher, and a man of good standing, has been arrested for stealing a horse in Sullivan county. He was trying to sell the animal when arrested. He will make no explanation, and the owner of the horse, a former neighbor and friend of Gilmore, is dumbfounded.

Factories Running Overtime.

Wabash, Ind., Sept. 28.—Wabash manufacturing establishments in all lines have never known such a season of prosperity, as now apparent. All are working full-handed, the employees being paid good wages, and in several there is such an accumulation of orders that the concerns are running overtime.

Scarlet Fever Panic.

Cambridge City, Ind., Sept. 28.—The schools and churches in Cambridge City have been closed on account of the scarlet fever. The first case was brought to the notice of the board of health more than a week ago. Eight cases have developed so far, two of which have proven fatal.

Kettlelake Sentenced For Life.

Noblesville, Ind., Sept. 28.—The jury in the case of Frederick Kettlelake, charged with the murder of Frederick Simon at Indianapolis, after being out six hours, returned a verdict yesterday of guilty, and fixed his punishment at imprisonment for life.

Overlooked \$300.

Churubusco, Ind., Sept. 28.—A sneak thief entered the saloon of John McGuire and while the attention of the proprietor was directed elsewhere, he stole a pocketbook containing \$400 in currency. An envelope in which there were \$300 in bills was overlooked.

FORECAST OF WEATHER

Rising and Setting of the Sun and Moon.

Sun. Moon.

Rises 5:53 | Sets 5:48 | Sets 8:15 p. m.

Indiana—Fair, colder in extreme southern portion. Saturday fair.

Illinois—Fair, colder in extreme southern portion; Saturday fair; warmer in northern and central portions.

HUNG IN EFFIGY

School Boys at Logansport Object to Restrictions on Athletics.

Logansport, Ind., Sept. 28.—Because Prof. J. M. Ashby, principal of the high school, is opposed to extremes in athletics, a number of his students hanged him in effigy. The "dummy" was suspended from a telegraph pole near the school building, and the boys secreted themselves on the library porch, where they were discovered by Prof. Pierce of the high school. He gave them the privilege of removing the effigy or going to jail, and the "dummy" was taken down. Expulsions may follow.

Dreyfus Still After Revision.

Paris, Sept. 28.—The Presse publishes the text of an alleged letter from Alfred Dreyfus to M. Trardieux, the former minister of justice, dated Geneva, Switzerland, Sept. 13 in which the writer says: "The moral effects of the inquiry still exist and the mental torture is as great as ever. Since justice has not been done to me, the aim I pursue remains the same until attained, viz: The legal revision of my trial."

Cruelty to Animals.

Alton, Ill., Sept. 28.—A warrant has been sworn out by the president of the Alton Humane society for the arrest of James Dukes on a charge of cruelty to animals. Dukes is said to have left his horses standing in the street in harness from daybreak to 5 o'clock in the afternoon without food or water.

Inter-State Pioneers.

Warren, O., Sept. 28.—Twenty-five hundred persons attended the Ohio-Indiana pioneers reunion here yesterday. The next reunion will be held at Bluffton, Ind. W. W. Wisell of Bluffton was elected president of the association and J. C. Hatfield of Bluffton and P. A. Bell of Lorain, O., secretaries.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

Crescent won the steeple race at Readville, Mass., yesterday.

The population of the city of Houston, Tex., as officially announced, is: 1900, 44,633; 1890, 27,557.

The United States trainship Hawk, on its way to Cleveland, ran ashore as it came out of the Galveston channel.

Preparations for the horse show to be held in Chicago Oct. 29 to Nov. 3, inclusive, are being rapidly pushed.

At the meeting of the New York Rapid Transit authority yesterday a resolution was passed for a tunnel to Brooklyn.

Reports have been received from Santo Domingo of a movement to overthrow the government of President Jimenez.

Charles F. Peck, 60 years old, a real estate dealer at New York, was found dead on the sidewalk. Evidence of murder was visible on the body.

Only two persons as mourners accompanied the body of the late millionaire, William Marsh Rice, to the Fresh Pond (N. Y.) crematory yesterday.

Cardinal Gibbons has sent a personal request to all the pastors—both regular and secular—in his archdiocese for collections in aid of the famine relief.

The Irish Americans lately serving with the Boers have been removed from their barracks at Lourenço Marques to the Portuguese transport India, to prevent disturbances.

In a letter received yesterday at the Populist party national headquarters, Hon. Adlai E. Stevenson accepts the nomination for the vice presidency tendered him by that party.

While relaxing with a neighbor over the return of her daughter, who had been absent some time, Mrs. Adeline Quetche of Toledo fell over into the arms of her daughter and died.

Dillard Warren was hanged at Woodbury, Tenn., yesterday for the murder of El Evans. The hanging was private, being witnessed only by officials and representatives of the press.

The current statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption shows: Available cash balance, \$136,644,838; gold, \$70,801,309.

In the case of Lloyd J. Smith, member of the Chicago board of trade and prominent local politician, charged with shipping grain from an elevator without cancelling the warehouse receipts, the jury yesterday afternoon reported inability to agree.

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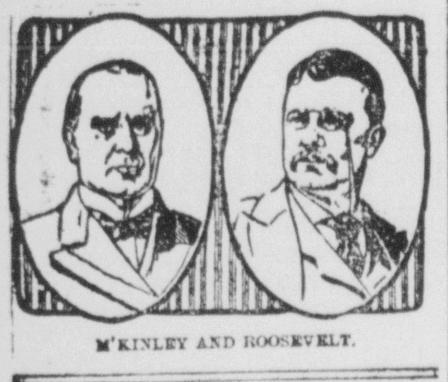
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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor, WINFIELD T. DURBIN, of Madison county.

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For Secretary of State, UNION B. HUNT, of Randolph county.

For Auditor of State, WILLIAM H. HART, of Clinton county.

For Treasurer of State, LEOPOLD LEVY, of Huntington county.

For Attorney General, WILLIAM L. TAYLOR, of Marion county.

For Reporter Supreme Court, CHARLES F. REMY, of Bartholomew county.

For State Statistician, BENJAMIN F. JOHNSON, of Benton county.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction, FRANK L. JONES, of Union county.

For Judge of the Supreme Court, First District, JAMES H. JORDAN, of Morgan county.

For Judge of the Supreme Court, Fourth District, LEONARD J. MONKS, of Randolph county.

Presidential Electors at Large, HUGH H. HANNA, CHARLES W. MILLER, District Electors.

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REPUBLICAN POLICY.

1896:—OPEN THE MILLS.

1900:—KEEP THEM OPEN.

THE more the people discuss the Chicago speech of Senator Beveridge the more they approve it. The speech was brim full of patriotism.

IN 1896 the republicans promised to restore prosperity such as the country enjoyed under President Harrison. The promise was kept.

THE voters of the Fourth district will not forget that F. M. Griffith voted against the anti-trust amendment to the constitution. Nathan Powell would not have made that mistake.

IN 1896 the republicans promised to put our financial system on a sound basis. That promise has been kept. The industrial interests of the whole country demand that a sound and honest system of finance be maintained.

ADLAI STEVENSON canvassed Illinois in 1864 in opposition to the reelection of Abraham Lincoln. He was one who contended that Lincoln was seeking to become emperor. He is now making the same old speeches except he has substituted the name of McKinley.

IF YOU are in sympathy with the striking miners of Pennsylvania, and want to see them win, vote for a continuation of the present prosperity and make the successful termination of the strike possible. Bryan's election would unsettle the business of the country, and under such conditions the strike would fail.

HON. ANDERSON PIERCEFIELD, of Nashville, the leading lawyer of Brown county, has renounced Bryanism and comes out squarely for McKinley and Roosevelt. Like a great many other thoughtful democrats he believes that the doctrines of Bryanism are false and to be honest with himself he can not follow Bryan's "unsafe and unsound" leadership. Mr. Piercefield was a candidate for congress when Griffith was first nominated. He was an active worker for Bryan in 1896 and again for the democratic party in 1898.

IN 1896 the republicans promised an expansion of our foreign trade. That promise has been kept. The official statistics show that the exports of the American farms, forests and factories from March 1, 1897 to March 1, 1900, amounted to \$3,993,995,527, while from March 1, 1893, to March 1, 1897, our export trade amounted to only \$2,562,637,444. The excess for the McKinley years is \$1,431,358,083. This is all the evidence needed to show that our markets have been enlarged thus bringing millions of dollars into the hands of the producers as a result. The balance of trade in our favor during the McKinley administration has been nearly \$400,000,000 annually, the largest by far in the history of our country.

POLITICAL BREVITIES.

Hear the Columbus Glee Club at the Fairbanks' meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Senator Fairbanks will arrive here tomorrow forenoon from Jeffersonville where he speaks tonight.

U. F. Lewis will address the regular meeting of the McKinley club at the city building tonight at 7:30. Hear him.

Hear Senator Fairbanks at Opera House tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

John M. Lewis had a splendid meeting at Austin last night. A large crowd was out and Mr. Lewis was given an attentive hearing. He reports the republicans of Scott county enthusiastic for party success.

The excursion train to Terre Haute Wednesday was pulled both ways and a clever majority for McKinley was found each time. The ratio of McKinley votes to Bryan votes was 1105.

DeGraff Billings and Frank Vance held a successful meeting at Clear Spring Thursday night. A republican club was organized with forty or fifty charter members.

John H. Kamman spoke to a crowded house at Jaketown last night. It is reported as being one of the best meetings ever held in that community.

GENUINE RECIPROCITY

That Which Does Not Sacrifice the Principle of Protection.

No plank in the Republican platform will more strongly commend itself to the voters than the reference to reciprocity, which is in the following language:

"We favor the policy of reciprocity, so directed as to open our markets on favorable terms for what we do not ourselves produce in return for free foreign markets."

That doctrine will be indorsed by every protectionist. It is the interpretation of "reciprocity" which we long have sought and mourned because we found it not. It definitely excludes such travesties of reciprocity as the French, Argentine, Portuguese and other treaties in which some American interests have been compelled to suffer injury in order that others might profit. In the absence of an explicit definition of reciprocity in previous Republican platforms it has been possible under the guise of "reciprocity" to negotiate treaties of this kind which were ill-advised, unjust and destructive of the principle of protection. The Chronicle vigorously opposed all of them and regretted that some stalwart Republicans and protectionists were inveigled into giving them approval. There will be no more of them.

The Republican party now stands committed to sacrifice no American interest for the sake of promoting foreign trade. That will precisely suit the fruit growers and wool growers of California, who have usually been selected as victims when sacrifices were to be offered. But while local interests may to some extent have spurred the Chronicle to its efforts to defeat proposed treaties the main ground of its opposition has been that they violated the principle of protection, which is the chief bulwark of Republican doctrine and the safety of all of us. The intent of the Republican party in regard to reciprocity matters is now stated in unequivocal terms, and no American interest need fear while that party is in power. It is a happy ending to a controversy which has been annoying and will solidify the party in this state and elsewhere.—San Francisco Chronicle.

The wool growers and sheep raisers have been benefited to an unparalleled degree by the return of a protective tariff. During a Democratic administration and the Wilson tariff medium wool sold for 18 cents per pound in 1896. During McKinley and Roosevelt, like a great many other thoughtful democrats he believes that the doctrines of Bryanism are false and to be honest with himself he can not follow Bryan's "unsafe and unsound" leadership. Mr. Piercefield was a candidate for congress when Griffith was first nominated. He was an active worker for Bryan in 1896 and again for the democratic party in 1898.

Posters "G" and "H."

Two remarkably effective campaign posters are ready for distribution by the American Protective Tariff League. They are entitled respectively "Poster G" and "Poster H." "Poster G" embodies the splendid prosperity figures of "Uncle Sam's balance sheet" revised and corrected so as to include the official statistics of the fiscal year ended June 30, 1900. "Poster H" is a picturesque illustration of "That Terrible Eclipse" of 1893-6 and the restoration of the unobscured sunlight of prosperity, 1897-1900. Taken together, "Uncle Sam's balance sheet" ("Poster G") and "That Terrible Eclipse" ("Poster H") present with extraordinary distinctness the contrast of conditions as they existed under Democratic free trade in 1896 and under Republican protection in 1900. These posters can be seen very generally in the headquarters of local Republican committees, or they will be mailed to any address for 8 cents. Address, American Protective Tariff League, 135 West Twenty-third street, New York.

Under the present administration the United States is sending coal to Newcastle, cottons to Manchester, iron to Russia and machinery to all the world. The Democrats promise to stop this business when they get into power.

Trying to Fool the People.

The Democratic apology for free silver is that it is way down toward the tail of the platform, as though that were evidence that they did not mean it. If they do not mean it, they are trying to fool the country with a falsehood, knowing it to be such. If they do mean it, in the event of securing a Democratic house and Bryan's election they will not delay in commencing to tinker with the tariff and trifle with the financial policy of the government.

"The gold standard," declared Mr. Bryan in his Minnesota speech in 1896, "would destroy the opportunity to work. Is Mr. Bryan depending upon the votes of the idle this year?"

Honest at Least.

The Democratic Memphis Commercial-Appeal admits that Mr. Bryan means 16 to 1 and has no patience with those Democrats who are trying to ignore the issue and take up the cry of "imperialism." The Commercial-Appeal is not overenthusiastic for the Kansas City ticket, but it prefers to be honest with its readers no matter how distasteful the task may be.

"He voted for Bryan in 1896," is becoming quite a common form of introduction for the speakers at the Republican meetings in Kansas this year.

Trying to Hide Silver.

The Democratic leaders are striving very hard to obscure the principal plank of the Kansas City platform—the plank Mr. Bryan forced into the platform over their protest.

Washington, Ind., Street Fair.

For the above occasion the B. & O. S-W. will sell tickets Sept. 30 to Oct. 6 to Washington and return at one fare for the round trip, good returning Oct. 8. J. S. MILLS, Agt.



CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS.

Hear Senator Fairbanks at the opera house Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

HER "SUSPICION CURE."

It Made Life One Lingered Honeymoon For Mrs. Jones' Adviser.

"I would be quite happy if my husband would not spend so much of his time at his club," said Mrs. Jones, with a sigh.

"Why don't you try the suspicion cure?" said her intimate friend.

"What in the name of Susan B. Anthony is the suspicion cure?" asked Mrs. Jones in amazement.

"Well, my husband got in the habit of spending his evenings at his club, and I worried over it for some time before I hit upon a plan to keep him at home. At first I pleaded with him, telling him how lonely I was at home when he was away, but he would only laugh and promise to be home early, which meant midnight or later. Then I changed my tactics. Instead of asking him to remain at home I urged him to go to his club. The way he raised his eyebrows the first time I suggested it showed me I was on the right tack, and I resolved to keep it up. One night when he came home for dinner he announced that he had a severe headache and would remain home for the evening. I opposed the idea and pointed out that an evening at his club would cause him to forget his headache and do it good. He gave me a hard look, but acted on the suggestion and left for his club. Something told me that he would be back within an hour, so I made an elaborate toilet and waited for him to return. He came home, as I expected, with the plea that his head was worse and that he couldn't stand the noise at the club. I consoled with him and ignored his question concerning my elaborate toilet. He hasn't been away for an evening since. It is almost like the old honeymoon, only he appears to have something on his mind that he is not entirely satisfied about."

—London Answers.

The Anti-Imperialists.

There is a growing suspicion that the imperialistic conduct of Croker in New York and the autocratic demands of Bryan may have something to do with the anti-imperialist plank in the Democratic platform.

Reasons Good and Sufficient.

There are over 30,000 bank depositors in Colorado now, an increase of nearly 100 per cent in four years. Perhaps this is one of the many valid reasons why McKinley will carry Colorado this time.

Mr. Bok on Home Study.

Notify your child's teacher that no more study will be permitted in your home. See to it that your child is allowed to come home from school with the same satisfactory feeling that the business man feels when he comes home: that his day's work is done. It is over. It is behind him. He is ready to give his thoughts to other things: to clear his mind of the day's work; to calm his brain for a refreshing night's rest, to which he finally goes with thoughts of other things than business. So should it be with the child. His studies should not be the last thing on his mind. He should go to sleep after hours of play and fresh air. Then his sleep will be quiet and refreshing, and his mind, when he awakens, will be clear and fresh for a new day's studies.—Edward Bok, in the October Ladies' Home Journal.

A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost \$5.00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and all say it never fails to cure throat, chest and lung troubles." Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at W. F. Peter's drug store.

One of Our Tourists.

Dayton, Ohio, March 27, '98. F. L. Shinkle, Esq.

Dear Sir—Will you please send me a bottle of your Dyspepsia Remedy to Hartford City, Ind., right away. I don't want to be without it. As I wrote you, it is helping me. Send care of the New Hotel unless some druggists keep it there. J. K. CHAPMAN, With Reynolds & Reynolds. For sale by W. F. Peter's.

Preachers Express Themselves.

Dr. J. A. Milburn, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, who has been a sturdy champion of democratic principles in the past, was asked today how he intends to vote this year. He replied:

"I think, as I am out of the pulpit, that there can be no great wrong in answering that question. I see no reason why a minister should not express his political preferences, as well as any one else. I have been for long years a democrat, but at the last presidential election I voted for McKinley. I will vote for him again."

"Mr. Bryan, I think, is a good man, but he is the incarnation of economic heresies, and what is more, he fails to understand the temperament and the genius of a growing world. He has not yet learned, evidently, that life means growth and that to cease to grow means the beginning of death."

Dr. A. A. Willett, the noted preacher and lecturer and who has been heard with pleasure in Seymour, likewise expresses his unbelief in Bryanism. He says in an interview: "Mr. Bryan's utter failure as a political prophet must make the people feel as if they did not want him for prophet, priest or president. I can not believe that the American people are so destitute of common sense as to imperil its splendid prosperity by taking Bryan's silver coated pills. This cry of imperialism is all humbug."

Elder Joseph Franklin, of Bedford, says: "I shall vote for McKinley if I am permitted to go to the polls. Imperialism is only a ghost and militarism is only a nightmare."

Free of Charge.

Any adult suffering from a cold settled on the breast, bronchitis, throat or lung troubles of any nature, will be pleased with a sample bottle of Boschee's German Syrup free of charge. Only one bottle given to one person, and none to children without order from parents.

No throat or lung remedy ever had such a sale as Boschee's German Syrup in all parts of the civilized world. Twenty years ago millions of bottles were given away, and your druggists will tell you its success was marvelous. It is really the only Throat and Lung Remedy generally endorsed by physicians. One 75-cent bottle will cure or prove its value. Sold by dealers in all civilized countries.

A Word to Mothers.

Mothers of children affected with croup or a severe cold need not hesitate to administer Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It contains no opiate nor narcotic in any form and may be given as confidently to the babe as to an adult. The great success that has attended its use in the treatment of colds and croup has won for it the approval and praise it has received throughout the United States and in many foreign lands. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

Shake Into Your Shoes

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It cures painful smarting, swollen feet, and ingrowing nails and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25c in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

BUCHANAN, MICH., May 22.

Genesee Pure Food Co., LeRoy N. Y. Gentlemen:—My mamma has been a great Coffee drinker, and has found it very injurious. Having used several packages of your GRAIN-O, the drink that takes the place of coffee, she finds it much better for herself and for us children to drink. She has given up coffee drinking entirely. We use a package every week. I am ten years old. Yours respectfully, FANNIE WILLIAMS

"What's the Time."

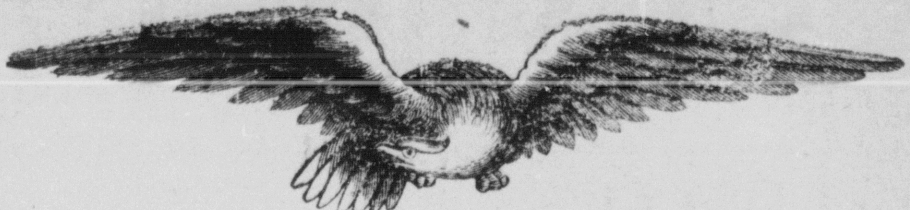
A booklet with this title, just published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, should not only be in the hands of every traveler, but should have a place on the desk of every banker, merchant or other business man.

The four "Time Standards" which govern our entire time system and which are more or less familiar to most of the traveling public, but by many others little understood, are so fully explained and illustrated by a series of charts, diagrams and tables that any one who chooses can become conversant with the subject in question. There are also some twenty-four tables by which almost at a glance, the time at any place be given, the hour and day following date of sale. J. S. MILLS, Agt.

Cincinnati Sept. 19 to 29, 1900.—For the occasion the B. & O. S-W. will sell tickets to Cincinnati and return at one fare on the following dates: Sept. 19, 21, 23, 25 and 27 good returning one day after sale and one and one-half day after sale. Good returning Sept. 20th, third fare, good returning September 20th. J. S. MILLS, Agt.

Home Seekers Excursion. The sale of Home Seekers Excursion tickets via B. & O. S-W. has been authorized on the following dates at greatly reduced rates: September 4th and 18th, October 2nd and 16th in Arkansas, Colorado, Iowa, Indian Territory, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Texas, Florida and other points.

National Convention of Christian Church. Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 12 to 19, 1900. For the above occasion the B. & O. S-W. R. R. will sell tickets to Kansas City and return at \$7.25. Tickets on sale Oct. 10, 12 and 14th, good returning Oct. 20th. J. S. MILLS, Agt.



Republican Speaking!

SENATOR CHAS. W. FAIRBANKS

AT THE OPERA HOUSE,

Saturday Afternoon Sept. 29,

AT 2:00 P. M.

Everyone regardless of political affiliation is cordially invited to hear this distinguished speaker.

Burlington Route FALL EXCURSIONS.

For investors and home-seekers looking toward Montana, Idaho, Washington, Puget Sound, Oregon, Colorado, Utah, Kansas, Nebraska, The New Guernsey Wyoming Country, autumn excursions will be run by the Burlington Route on following dates: Sept. 4th and 18th, Oct. 2d and 16th. Round trip rate, one fare, plus \$2.00. Limit, 21 days.

3 Great Trains FROM St. Louis

9:00 a. m., for Nebraska, Kansas and Northwest; 2:05 p. m., for Nebraska, Colorado and West; also St. Paul and North; 9:00 p. m., for Nebraska, Kansas and Colorado.

For printed matter covering details of this extensive scheme of autumn excursions apply to your nearest ticket agent, or address General Passenger Agent, Burlington Route, 604 Pine Street, St. Louis, Mo. S3

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All who have roofs that leak or need paint, those who have Furnaces, Stoves, Pumps, Sinks, Tinware, Granite ware that want repairing, also new work in Tin, Iron and Steel Roofing, Cornice, Spouting and Gutting to call and see me. All work guaranteed.

J. R. HINMAN,
23 E. Second St.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

CHICAGO, Illinois, September 28.—Partly cloudy with possibly light showers tonight or Saturday; warmer north portion Saturday.

Cox.

Butter, eggs, poultry, at Reynolds'.

New whole wheat pancake flour at L. C. Nichter's.

FOR RENT—A cottage. See Cyrus E. McCrady.

Fine Limburger cheese and new Holland Herring at ALOPH MAIER'S, 29

FOR RENT—House containing seven rooms. No. 211 N. Pine St. Enquire at 103 N. Pine St. dtf

LOST—Twisted wire gold bracelet with bar and sets. Return to Mrs. F. R. Hale, 220 S. Walnut. Reward.

Don't fail to see Leidorf for finest pork, lamb, veal, beef, boiled ham, sausages, of all kinds and dressed poultry.

Hear Senator Fairbanks at the opera house tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Clayton Downs, of Fox Plains, was in town today.

James J. Spall, near Beech Grove, came up last evening.

J. W. Starr returned to Sparksville from Louisville today.

C. M. Cutter and wife, of Aurora, are here visiting friends.

M. J. Spear is here from Indianapolis the guest of relatives.

Rev. S. H. Huffman came home from Coatsville last night.

Frank Vance, of Brownstown, went to Crothersville this morning.

Mrs. M. E. Heimer, of Danville, came here today to visit relatives.

John Harris and family went to Waynesville today to visit relatives.

Miss Mollie Wolf, of Vallonia, went to Indianapolis today to reside.

Mrs. D. M. Potter came down from Ripley county today to visit friends.

Miss Lillie Riehm went to Jennings county last evening to visit her father.

Miss Etta Hamer, of Sparksville, came up today to visit Mrs. Julia Rucker.

Mrs. M. T. Wilson, near Vevay, arrived today to visit friends until after Sunday.

Theodore Toms, of Birmingham, Alabama, went to Washington today to visit his parents.

Misses Daisy Holland and Lulu Brown left for Gosport today to visit friends and relatives.

Rev. T. C. Smith returned to Alexandria this morning from a visit with his son, Jay C. Smith.

Henry Willman came home last night from a visit to relatives in the eastern part of the state.

Mrs. William H. Mers of Eminence, Ky., came here last night to visit her mother, Mrs. Flechearty.

Mrs. W. H. Kreitzer and Miss Lillie Wearman of Newport, Ky., are visiting friends on White Creek.

W. F. Steele and wife, of Chicago, who have been here visiting relatives returned home last evening.

M. S. King and wife, of Indianapolis, are here visiting his wife's father, Fountain Sutherland.

Miss Helen Wilson, court stenographer, has gone to Indianapolis, to continue her studies for a month.

Miss Cammie Jennings, of Corydon, came up last evening to visit her aunt, Mrs. J. E. Corman, near this city.

Misses Lizzie Mehl and Katie Wolf, of Vallonia, who have visited Mrs. Henry Sierp, returned home today.

Mrs. A. J. Hough came home last night from a two month's visit to friends in New York and the east.

Mrs. John Heckman and J. R. Hinman and wife went to Walesboro last evening to visit friends and relatives.

J. S. Secrist, of Vermillion county, who is conducting protracted meeting at Beech Grove, was here last evening.

C. M. Ingram and wife came home last evening from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. George Williams at Jeffersonville.

Mrs. Elizabeth Carr, who has visited her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Bostick and family, returned to Washington today.

Alfred Reynolds and son, of Tampico, after a visit to his son W. H. Reynolds and family returned home today.

Mrs. Lon Pruitt went to Linneus, Missouri, Wednesday evening on account of the sickness of Mr. Pruitt's mother.

G. W. Palmer and sister, of Decatur county, after a visit here to relatives, returned home last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Sutherland, of Tipton, arrived last night to visit his father, Fountain Sutherland who is very sick.

Mrs. Lin Prather, of Independence, Kansas, came here last evening to visit her brother, Thomas Kreinhagen and family.

Rev. S. J. Cross, of Blocher, who attended the funeral of his cousin, Charles Lucas, at Preetown, returned home last night.

Walter B. Phillips and wife, of Columbus, after a visit to his grandfather, Fountain Sutherland, returned home last evening.

Miss Lena Meyers, of Vincennes, and Mrs. J. W. Coward, of Washington, who have been visiting Mrs. John Bruning at 215 S. Vine St., was called home last evening account of sickness in her family.

N. C. Bequette was here from New Albany today.

Mrs. W. P. Masters went to Cincinnati today to visit friends.

H. J. Williams and wife, of Crawford county, are here today.

D. W. Johnson reached the sixtieth anniversary of his useful life today.

Mrs. W. G. Reynolds and daughter Lois, went to Cincinnati this morning to visit relatives.

Frank L. Bush and wife are home from a visit to Will Kaufman and family at Terre Haute.

Wm. J. Forsythe, of Pittsburg, Pa., is visiting relatives and friends here and on Chestnut Ridge.

The Ladies.

The pleasant effect and perfect safety with which ladies may use Syrup of Figs, under all conditions, makes it their favorite remedy. To get the true and genuine article, look for the name of the California Fig Syrup Co. printed near the bottom of the package. For sale by all druggists.

Pickled pork, new sorghum, at Reynolds'. 29d

Spanish onions, grapes 20 cents per basket, Model Grocery.

Fancy No. 2 mackerel, two for 15 cents at L. C. Nichter's.

Thermometer marked 64 degrees above zero this morning and 80 above at noon.

The League meeting held at the home of Mrs. Freeze last night was well attended, and was a pleasant and profitable meeting.

When wanting choice canned goods, fine peaches, celery and the best of groceries, go to M. E. Flynn's, corner Brown and Poplar streets.

Senator Fairbanks at the opera house tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Sheridan, mother of Gen. Phil Sheridan, made a flag which has become historic. It is soon to be presented to President McKinley.

A. F. Weineke has made and delivered to the Extract Chemical Company a number of fine sample cases. They are lined inside with felt and are neatly constructed.

Several districts in London, notably Kensington and Hyde Park have been visited recently by swarms of mosquitoes, a pest almost unknown there a few years ago.

Edgar Crane fell off the fence last evening and hurt one of his feet quite badly. It is swollen to twice its natural size today. He can bear no weight on it.

Lon Pruitt arrested Stumpy Reeves Wednesday evening for drunkenness. He was tried before Judge Hoover Thursday morning and fined \$5 and costs.

A coal oil lamp exploded at the home of Frank Howard Wednesday night causing considerable excitement for awhile. Mr. Howard succeeded in pitching the lamp out of the window.

Hon. Louis Schneck made a business trip to Indianapolis today. By special invitation he goes to Jeffersonville this evening to attend the Fairbanks reception at Jeffersonville tonight.

Collins Bros., at C. Young's old stand, has an extra fine line of veal, pork, beef, corned beef, pickled pork and dressed poultry. This new firm makes it a point to treat all with the utmost courtesy.

The old Rosenfield stand will be occupied by the Ideal Dry Goods Co., with a line of dry goods, notions, ladies and gents furnishing goods, on Saturday, October 7. Watch for the opening. s29d

Samuel Swengel, residing west of Medora and employed with the B. & O. extra gang east of town, went home today to visit his family. He will move here as soon as he can get a house, as he will have constant employment for some time at least.

What a great country the United States is getting to be. The Census Bureau has already counted 50,000,000 inhabitants and are counting a million each day. Director Merriman declines yet to make any official forecast of the total, but says his personal opinion is, that we have at least 75,000,000 people in the United States.

Try a can of Ramford's baking powder, best powder made. Sold at L. C. Nichter's.

BUSINESS NOTES.

J. F. Nighswander, of Hayden, came down on business today.

M. O. England, of Bedford, came over on business today.

R. J. Murray, of Grammar, was here on business Thursday.

Henry Kern and wife, of Spraytown, came here on business today.

S. W. Harding and wife, of Hayden, drove down on business today.

W. I. Gardiner, of Indianapolis, was transacting business here today.

W. H. Thomas and wife are here from Washington county on business.

G. H. Anderson began moving into his new residence on North Chestnut street last evening.

The foundation of Ed. Bettenbrock's house on West Brown street was completed last evening.

Andy Robertson, the Racket store man, of Ewing, came up on his wheel today on business.

The foundation of Will Schaefer's new residence on South Chestnut street is completed, ready for the frame.

Henry G. Alford and wife came here from near Zenas to purchase goods and to visit Mrs. Alford's aunt, Mrs. H. O. Staples.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

S. P. Conner, of the C. & O., was here today.

Charles D. Starr, of the A. C., was here today.

J. E. Ball, of the Monon, was here today on business.

H. A. Truedley, B. & O. soliciting agent, was here yesterday.

L. E. Layton, of the "Q" route, was here on business last evening.

G. W. Starr, of the Southern Indiana, was a business visitor here last evening.

Brakeman Elza Jones, who had his foot hurt a week ago, is able to be out today.

Engineer Bruce Murphy, who has laid off a week, went to Cincinnati today to resume his branch run.

The local freight train due here from the west at 3 o'clock last evening failed to arrive here till 6 o'clock this morning.

Fireman Will Werning, of the B. & O., came here yesterday from Garrett to visit his mother. He gave the REPUBLICAN a business call today.

Columbus Glee Club Coming.

The Columbus Glee Club under the leadership of Prof. A. W. Mason will sing at Senator Fairbanks' meeting at the opera house tomorrow afternoon. This is one of the best glee clubs in the state.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Company, Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by druggists, price 75c. per bottle.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Street Work Didn't Suit.

Tol Reeves was fined \$5 and costs by Judge Hoover yesterday on the charge of intoxication. Failing to pay or stay he was put to work on the streets. Last night he gave the officers the slip and had not been heard from at last report.

How's Your Stomach.

If troubled with dyspepsia, cure it at once. Begin at the seat of the disease. Make the blood pure and the liver active. Knox Stomach Tablets cure all stomach disorders. Fifty doses, fifty cents. At all druggists.

McKinley Club Meeting.

The McKinley Club will meet in regular session at the city building tonight at 7:30 o'clock. U. F. Lewis will make the speech of the evening. A full attendance is desired.

Notice.

There will be a meeting of the Young Mens' Republican Club at Republican Headquarters tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

ARTHUR GRAESSLE, Pres.

CLIFF WIETHOFF, Sec'y.

Loyal Temperance Legion Officers.

The officers of the Loyal Temperance Legion for the coming six months are:

President, Charlton Durland.

Vice president, Pearl O'Leary.

Secretary, Agnes Huffman.

Organists, Mrs. Hale and Nannie Hoover.

Librarians, George Schmitt and James O. Hale.

Treasurer, Erma Hodapp.

Enrolling secretary, Lena May Johnson.

Penny collector, Bee Adams.

Banner care takers, DeWitt Hodapp and Ralph Balsley.

Associate vice presidents, Edna Massman, of German M. E. church; Erma Hodapp, M. E. church; Pearl O'Leary, Christian church; Mabel Thicksten, Baptist church; Fay Johnson, Presbyterian church.

Flower mission committee, Mabel Thicksten, Fay Johnson and Agnes Huffman.

Calling committee, Nannie Hoover and Flossie Johnson.

The Legion members are regular in attendance and doing good work. Visitors are always welcome.

Freemont Voters.

Though it has been forty-four years since John C. Freemont was a candidate for the presidency, a few of the men who supported him are still living in this community. Following are the names so far reported to the

REPUBLICAN:

Peter Plater,

Benjamin F. McCann,

Travis Carter,

Paschal Carter,

E. W. Blish,

Daniel Dennison,

Louis Schneck,

A. M. Beaty,

John M. Larabee,

John M. Lewis, sr.

A. H. Hoover.

The REPUBLICAN will be pleased to have a complete list of these veteran republicans.

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BORN.

A daughter was born to Dick Stillwell and wife, of Bloomington, late of Ewing, Tuesday, September 25.

Born to William Thias and wife, south of town Wednesday, Oct. 26, a fine boy.

He Fooled the Surgeon.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from rectal fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest pile cure on earth, and the best salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by W. F. Peter, druggist.

Special Train Service.

October 5th, B. & O. S-W. will run a special train to Washington, Ind., leaving Seymour at 7:30 a.m. Returning will leave Washington at 11 p. m., same day. One fare for the round trip.

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Elks' Industrial Exposition and Carnival.

Louisville, Sept. 17 to 29, 1900. For the above occasion the B. & O. S-W. will sell tickets to Louisville and return Sept. 17th to 29th, at greatly reduced rate. For further information apply at ticket office.

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WHAT IS A TRUST?

Senator Beveridge Asks and Answers the Question.

SOME FAMILIAR EXAMPLES

Text of the Indiana Senator's Notable Address in Nebraska.

A Plain Talk in Which Familiar Illustrations of What the Term "Trust" Implies Are Given in a Manner to Carry Conviction—Bryan's False Position Clearly Exposed by the Indiana Senator's Direct Presentation of the Issue—A Practical Talk to the Farmers of Bryan's State.

Hon. Albert J. Beveridge, United States senator from Indiana, addressed a large audience on the political issues of the day at Columbus, Neb., on the occasion of the Nebraska Republican state rally. Senator Beveridge confined his address to the subject of "Trusts." He said:

Ladies and Gentlemen: Mr. Bryan owns a farm. I know this, because I have read it in the newspapers. I know it, because I have seen photographs of Mr. Bryan on his farm. I am not a farmer now, but I was a farmer once. And when I was a farmer I worked at the business. The difference between a farmer who works at the profession and the farmer who only works at the name, is just the difference between a man and his photograph. So I think I can



ALBERT J. BEVERIDGE.

talk to the farmers with more authority than Mr. Bryan. And as he talks to them about trusts, I also will talk to them about trusts. What is a trust? It is a great combination of capital, designed to simplify and unify business, or a great combination of labor, designed to simplify and unify industry. It is easy to see, therefore, that there can be good trusts and bad trusts, just as there can be good men and bad men. A trust is a good trust when it performs the work for which it has been organized, and produces better goods at cheaper prices and delivers them to the consumer more conveniently than a dozen different concerns could do. The consumer is the sovereign factor in civilization. The well-being of the masses is the result of every industrial development that endures. A trust is a bad trust when it raises prices dishonestly and without other reason than to satisfy the greed of its managers. A man is a bad man when he steals; and when he does that he ought to be put in jail. A trust is a bad trust when it dishonestly raises prices; and when it does that it ought to be restrained or put out of existence. But because one man steals is no reason why all men should be put in jail; and because one trust is dishonest is no reason why all trusts should be destroyed. Mr. Bryan is in favor of destroying all combinations of capital. We are in favor of destroying only such combinations of capital as oppress the people, just as you are in favor of putting in jail only such men as commit larceny or murder or arson.

A Trust Operated by Every Farmer.

Let me give the farmers a perfect illustration of a trust that every farmer in this country operates himself. That trust is the self-binding harvester. I got the job of driving the first self-binding harvester that was sent to central Illinois by the McCormicks. It was an old wire-binder. It was a trust. It was the only trust I have ever had anything to do with. It did what several different machines and implements were required to do before. The first season the self-binding harvester appeared in central Illinois the same arguments were advanced against it that are now advanced against trusts. It was said that it threw labor out of employment. It was said it would result in each farmer becoming a sort of independent landed gentry like the great landlords of England, and that he would not need any help from the day laborers whom he had theretofore

hired to do his harvesting. There were even talks of mobs to burn up the self-binders. But men who thought they were thrown out of employment by it, found that they were not; but that there were other employments, easier employment and better paid employments in other directions than all the hard work that harvesting by hand afforded them; that the new conditions created by this very self-binder furnished them other and better employment. Every labor-saving machine is a mechanical trust, and yet more laboring men are employed today, and at higher wages and with shorter hours than ever before in human history.

The self-binder enabled the farmer to market his grain cheaper than he was able to do before. So the trust enables the producers to produce cheaper than they did before. The self-binder therefore increases the farmer's profits because it enables him to market his grain cheaper; and that is right. The trust enables its managers to produce cheaper than they did before; and increase in profits coming from that its legitimate, although they have no right to all such increase of profits. Better products at cheaper prices to the consumer is the only justification for trusts. If the farmers were able to force up the price of grain dishonestly and still increase their profits, that would be wrong, and it ought to be prevented. Just so when a trust is able to dishonestly force up the price of its products, that is wrong and it ought to be prevented. And that is what the Republican party proposes to do. But because the self-binding harvester increases the farmer's profit by enabling him to produce cheaper grain, is no reason why the self-binder ought to be burned. And just so, the fact that trusts cause cheaper production of products is no reason why they should be destroyed. The Republican idea is regulation and punishment. The Bryan idea is simply destruction. If Mr. Bryan will work more on his farm at driving his self-binder, he will better understand the first principles of the trust question.

Practical Remedy For Trust Evils.

There is only one possible way of regulating trusts. That way is by the congress of the republic controlling corporations. This is one country now. We have outgrown state rights. There is no reason why a corporation organized in New Jersey should have greater privileges than one organized in Nebraska. A trust, to succeed, must do business all over the country. Therefore, it ought to be controlled, not by a state government, but by the nation's government. It is the old struggle between the nation and state rights. The constitution does not permit that at present. The Republican party proposes to amend the constitution so that the national government may control trusts. The Democratic party voted solidly against that proposition. Why? Because the Democratic party was more in favor of trusts than the Republican party? No! Both parties are equally against the evils of trusts. But the Democrats opposed that measure, which alone can cure the evils of trusts, because it is a Republican measure, and they would not permit it to pass as a Republican measure without protest. The point is that the Republican party have proposed the only possible remedy, and are pledged to its execution.

A Trust No One Will See Destroyed.

Is Mr. Bryan in favor of destroying a department store? Is there a woman in the United States who will refuse to trade with the department stores? If not, why not? Because before the department store came she had to buy one thing in one little shop and another thing in another little shop, and all of poorer quality and higher price; whereas now she buys everything under one roof, at a cheaper price and of better quality and has it quickly delivered. Under the old system, statistics show that more than 80 per cent of the small stores failed. And all of them had to sell poorer goods at a higher price in order to make their profits, and even then they failed; whereas the department store sells at a lower price better goods in more convenient form, and the small dealer who before was waging a daily struggle with bankruptcy and falling in the end, is now the well-paid and prosperous head of a department of that great center of distribution for the masses, called the department store. And yet that department store has not destroyed the small dealer who succeeded before. That small dealer still exists and flourishes more than ever. The shop devoted to specialties and where high individual skill is required are more prosperous now than ever. The department store really furnishes the specialist his opportunity. It also affords the neighborhood store its opportunity. And so we find specialists shops and neighborhood stores more plentiful and prosperous today than ever before. They do the small and immediate business just as small change does the small and immediate business required of money. Because we have ten, twenty, and fifty dollar bills is no reason why we should dispense with the dollar, the quarter, the dime and the nickel. Each have their spheres of usefulness. And just so the trust and the small dealer, the department store, the specialist and the neighborhood store have their respective spheres of usefulness. And the department store takes the place only of the stores which failed before and were constantly upsetting business. If Mr. Bryan is logical, he is in favor of destroying the department store, because the department store is a trust in its simplest and most familiar form.

Bryan Favors Trusts.

Mr. Bryan is in favor of trusts as much as any man in the United States. He admits it himself. For he says that he is a great champion of labor organization. So am I. The laboring

organizations of my state supported me for the senate; and when they did it, they knew just where I stood on every question then before the people. I am, and have been since I was a boy, in favor of labor organization. It is the only way labor has of asserting its equal rights with the organizations of capital, and in so doing is a public benefit, for the well-being of labor is of vital concern to the well-being of the entire nation. It benefits labor in numberless ways. Over and over again Mr. Bryan has said that these organizations are a great blessing. And yet labor organization is merely a form of trust. It is a labor trust, and is a good thing. But even labor trust sometimes does wrong. When it does, it loses the sympathy of the great mass of our people; and it ought to be resisted. Just so, the trusts of capital often do wrong. When they do, they ought to be punished. But because labor trusts are sometimes in the wrong is no reason why they should be destroyed. What both need when they do wrong is restraint and correction. But what Mr. Bryan proposes is destruction; and if he is logical, he must destroy the trust of labor as well as the trust of capital.

A Simpler Example.

Let me give you another and simpler example of the trust. There is in this country a great railway system called the "Big Four railroad." A great deal of it is in the state of Indiana, and most of it is in that state and in the state of Ohio. I remember the time when the railroads that formed what is now the Big Four railroad system were little, short, separate lines. The service on each of these lines was poor. The cars were bad. The tracks and road-bed were far from safe. The passenger who wanted to travel any considerable distance had to get off the cars at one end of a line and get on other cars of another line, and the longer he traveled the more he had to do this. He had to pay higher fare and to buy many separate tickets. The employees of these various lines were less in number than they now are and were paid smaller wages. Frequently the lines went into the hands of a receiver and the workmen had trouble in getting their wages at all. A great manager combined those lines into a system. What was the result? More trains, faster time, better cars, cheaper rates and through trains. You can get on one of that system's trains and, without change, go to distant points which before required two or three tickets. The system employs more men than the separate lines employed before the consolidation. The service is greatly improved. The convenience to the passenger is not a comparison, but a contrast with what it used to be. Therefore, there is more traveling, more business. You are carried cheaper in palace cars; your grain is hauled at lower rates of freight, more safely and more speedily. And so it is that a great miracle is wrought; better service and cheaper rates to the public on one hand, and more employment and higher wages to the employees on the other hand; at the same time more profit to the stockholders who own the road. Dare Mr. Bryan say that he would have that system broken up into the little companies from which it was formed? If he dares not, he has abandoned his position on the trust.

Trusts and Young Men.

Mr. Bryan declares that trusts prevent young men from rising in the business world. On the contrary, the active heads of most of these corporations are young men who have risen without influence or any other aid than their own ability to their high position. The president of the Carnegie Steel company is still a young man, and rose to his position from a boy in the works. What the trust is looking for—what any combination of capital is looking for—is fresh and vigorous ability. Unless they get that, they cannot succeed. I will venture this assertion that more than 95 per cent of the active management of the great combinations of capital of this country, and the active management of each one of the departments of these great combinations of capital, is in the hands of young men without wealth, influence or position, but whose worth and merit have been recognized by the directors of these great concerns. If a trust does not have such ability at its command constantly, it will break down, just as trusts often and for exactly this reason, are breaking down. Keen, bold, daring minds will see that the trust is not managed with ability, and they will organize another trust which is managed with ability. A trust can only exist when each and every department of it, to the smallest detail of its business, is conducted with mathematical and machine-like accuracy. And the chief demand in this country today is for talented, industrious, honest and brave young men to aid the mighty work which this industrial development of our civilization requires.

As no woman who listens to me would have the department store dissolved into the little, inconvenient, high-priced shops, selling poorer goods in a more inconvenient way; as not a man in this republic would have any of our great railroad lines, which were formed out of a dozen small, poorly-operated, high-priced, miserably-equipped, inconvenient lines, broken up into those little roads again, just so not a man in this country is against the industrial development of a trust, when it is honestly and righteously conducted. What we are all against is the dishonest operation of these trusts, just as we are all against the dishonest conduct of any man. But the sensible thing is not to destroy them; the sensible thing is to remedy them. The right road is onward toward government control, some think, and many developments are suggested; the right solution will certainly be found, and not backward toward the day when the farmer reaped his grain with a scythe, instead of with the self-binding harvester; not backward to the day when he threshed it with a flail, instead of with a vibrating

threshner; not backward to the day when the stage coach did the business of passenger transportation, instead of the travel of the country being carried at a fraction of the price the stage coach charged, and in palace cars, with all the comforts and luxuries of this wonderful civilization. The road to the true solution is onward, and not backward, and the elements that are required in our statesmen in dealing with this tremendous problem of human society, this natural industrial development, is earnest thought, thorough study, fearless justice and moderation, instead of violent and ignorant assertion, inflamed prejudice and mad resolutions, not to remedy, but to destroy.

Common Sense and Justice.

My friends, what we need is not so much sweeping declaration one way or the other against the trusts of labor or the trusts of capital. What we need is common sense and justice. Common sense, in order that we may see what is just; and the spirit of justice, in order to do what is just. On his dying bed Richelieu, who created France, was asked what was the secret of his power. He answered: "Some say it is cunning—that I am a fox. Some say it is courage—that I am a lion. It is neither. The secret of my power is told in one word—justice—for I have been just." And this is what we need in our public men who deal with the profound problem of combinations of labor and combinations of capital and the whole tremendous social evolution of which these are a part.

Glorious News.

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved, that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys, and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by W. F. Peter, druggist. Guaranteed.

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Alady writes: "I shake Allen's Foot-Ease into my gloves and rub a little on my hands. I save my gloves by absorbing perspiration. It is a most dainty toilet powder." We invite the attention of physicians and nurses to the absolute purity of Allen's Foot-Ease. Dr. W. C. Abbott, editor of the Chicago Clinic says: "It is a grand preparation; I am using it constantly in my practice." All drug and shoe stores sell it, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address: Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y. Gentlemen—Our family realize so much from the use of GRAIN-O that I feel I must say a word to induce others to use it. If people are interested in their health and the welfare of their children they will use no other beverage. I have used them all, but GRAIN-O I have found superior to any, for the reason that it is solid grain. Yours for health, C. F. MYERS.

There is Nothing

That is more disagreeable than that heavy full feeling, backache, heart palpitation, shortness of breath, and that general depression caused by indigestion. Take it in time and do not let it run too long. You can cure it with Shinkle's Cure for dyspepsia. Price 75c per bottle at W. F. Peter.

Bitter fighting does not necessarily mean personal abuse or unsavory remarks. Keep your temper. Work for your party and stand by your convictions—work all night and talk all day if you find it essential to your success. It will irritate you and cause dyspepsia, but you can find relief for it in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is guaranteed by A. J. Pellens.

Ladies Can Wear Shoes

One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder to be shaken into the shoes. It makes tight or new shoes feel easy, gives instant relief to corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Cures and prevents swollen feet, blisters, callous and sore spots. Allen's Foot-Ease is certain cure for sweating, hot, aching feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Trial package FREE by mail. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Don't Sling Mud.

Do not lose your head. Talk politics but don't get mad. Then go to A. J. Pellens' drug store and get a trial bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

1900—1901 Goods.

THE REPUBLICAN has just received a full line of samples of folders and fancy stationery containing the newest things for the coming season 1900—1901. The list includes literary and dance programs, advertising announcements, folders and fancy paper announcements with envelopes to match, birth announcements, children's party invitations, mourning stationery, wedding souvenirs, wedding invitations, menus, etc., etc. These are the finest lot of goods we have ever handled, many of the designs being imported from Europe. It will pay you to see these samples when needing something in any of these lines. s30d&w

INCREASE OF IMPORTS

American People Have More Money to Spend Than Formerly.

Our imports for the year ending June 30, 1900, amounted to \$849,743,239, a sum greater by nearly \$100,000,000 than the highest amount reached by our imports during any one fiscal year which had its beginning during the last free trade administration. Four years ago President McKinley said in the course of one of the speeches which he made to visiting delegations: "Nor do I think that it is economy to buy goods cheaply abroad if it thereby enforces idleness at home."

The imports of 1900 do not come under the head of goods which, by being bought abroad, have enforced idleness at home. There has been no idleness at home since McKinley was elected and the policy of protection was re-established. The protective tariff has seen to it that foreign producers have not been permitted to sell their pauper made goods in the American market at prices that would take the bread out of the mouths of American workmen. On the contrary, our imports this year represent largely goods which could not have been duplicated at home, and they have been paid for, and more than paid for out of the surplus of American exports which busy American producers, made prosperous by the enactment of the Dingley law, have sent abroad, and the increase in the amount of our imports implies merely an increase in the amount of money which the American people have had to spend. The increase in their purchases of foreign goods is but a fractional part of the increase in their purchases of American made goods.

Concerning the Cow.

The American cow has felt the effect of Republican good times. Her value has gone up about \$10 since 1895, from \$21.95 a head to about \$31.00 a head. She has also had to supply more milk, because of the demand attendant on the filling of the workman's dinner pail.

Machinery For the Klondike.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 28.—The steamer Farrallon sailed for the north yesterday with one of the largest and costliest single shipments of mining machinery ever shipped to the Klondike. About 600 tons of all kinds of hydraulic plants and other gold mining machinery made up the shipment.

Another Express Robbery.

Keokuk, Ia., Sept. 28.—The depot agent of the Adams Express company was robbed of a \$1,000 package consigned by a local bank to Salem, Ia. The money was supposed to have been put in the safe but was missing when the depot agent checked up.

OUR NATIONAL GAME

Standing of Clubs and Results of Current Games.

Clubs.	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	128	75	.51
Pittsburgh	128	73	.55
Philadelphia	127	68	.59
Boston	126	64	.66
Chicago	126	62	.68
St. Louis	125	57	.68
Cincinnati	127	56	.71
New York	127	54	.73

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs and Pitchers.	R.	H.	E.
Boston—Wills	2	6	2
Brooklyn—McGinnity	4	9	1
Philadelphia—Dana	4	5	1
New York—Hawley	6	11	1
Pittsburgh—Waddell	1	7	2
Cincinnati—Newton	4	7	1

St. Louis—Chicago—Postponed.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

Prevailing Prices For Grain, Provisions and Livestock on Sept. 27.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.
Wheat—Wagon, 70c; No. 2 red, strong, 71c.
Corn—Weak; No. 2 mixed, 40c; Oats—Dull; No. 2 mixed, 21c; Cattle—Lower at \$3.06; 57c; Hogs—Weak at \$4.75; 62c; Sheep—Quiet at \$2.50; 63c; Lambs—Quiet at \$3.50; 65c.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

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Wheat—		
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